## RESOLUTION NO. 2020-24

## A RESOLUTION TO INCREASE THE PRECINCT ELECTION OFFICIALS ELECTION DAY PAY FOR 2020 PRIMARY DUE TO THE COVID -19 PANDEMIC.

WHEREAS, Webster County Precinct Election Officials (PEO) are currently paid \$12.00 per hour to work at all Elections, and

WHEREAS, Due to the Covid-19 Pandemic there have been fewer than normal PEO's available to work the 2020 Primary Election, and

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State in anticipation of the low turnout of Election Officials, has mailed out Absentee Request Forms to every registered voter and the Auditor's Office has received a high volume of Absentee Ballots for the 2020 Primary, and

WHEREAS, due to the low number of PEO's willing to work during the current pandemic Webster County has combined from twenty eight precincts down to three to allow voters the right to vote on Primary Election Day,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Webster County Supervisors approve a pay increase for the 2020 Primary as follows; PEO's at each combined site will receive a flat rate of pay of \$240 for the day and all Absentee Voting Special Precinct (ASVP) workers, working with opening and counting returned absentees, will receive a rate of pay equal to \$15.00 per hour.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this day of day	<u>nt=</u>
Roll Call Vote:  Dencklau: AyeY ; Nay; Abstain  Campbell: AyeY ; Nay; Abstain  Carlson: Aye; Nay; Abstain  Conrad: AyeY ; Nay; Abstain  Thode: AyeY ; Nay; Abstain	; Absent ; Absent ; Absent
WEBSTER COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISO Mark Campbell, Chairman	Attest: Doreen Pliner, Auditor
Keith Dencklau  Mulu losso	Absint Nicholas Carlson

Bob Thode

Niki Conrad